Rural improvement works in Shimoga District.

Q.—408. **Sri S. R. NAGAPPA SETTY** (Shimoga).—

Will the Government be pleased to State :—

(*a*) the development works undertaken in the following villages of Shimoga Taluk regarding communications, tank improvements, wells for drinking water, hospital and public health :—

(i) Somenakoppa, (ii) Hosuru, (iii) Gejjenahalli, (iv) Devakathikoppa, (v) Konagavalli, (vi) Thyajavalli, (vii) Yadawala, (vii) Muduvala, (ix) Devabalu, (x) Rampura, (xi) Bommanakatte, (xii) Siddipura, (xiii) Koteganguru and (xiv) Muddenakoppa ;

(*b*) whether they are aware that all these villages are being gradually depopulated for want of communications and other amenities which are needed to induce them to remain in the villages ;

(*c*) how many acres of land is fallow in each village which is fit for cultivation ?

A.—**Sri T. CHANNIAH** (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government):—

(*a*) The following are the development works sanctioned —

1. Inter-village communication road from Shimoga to Bommanakatte.
2. One Ayurvedic Dispensary for Thyajavalli.
3. Drinking water wells for the following villages which are under execution :—

(i) Gejjenahally, (ii) Thyajavalli, (iii) Yedavala, (iv) Kotegangur, (v) Muddenakoppa, (vi) Devakathikoppa (vii) Mudawala.

4. One Culvert at Kotegangur.

(*b*) No reports indicating depopulation are received.

(*c*)

Villages	*Extent of land which is fallow and is fit for cultivation*	
	Acres	*Guntas*
1. Somenakoppa ...	30	3
2. Hosur ...	56	15
3. Gejjenahalli ...	804	30
4. Devakathikoppa ...	311	18
5. Konagavalli ...	153	12
6. Thyajavalli ...	541	35
7. Yedavala ...	518	28
8. Devabalu ...	552	11
9. Muduvala ...	...	...
10. Rampura ...	154	31
11. Bommanakatte ...	...	...
12. Siddalipura ...	522	31
13. Kotegangur ...	15	36
14. Muddenakoppa ...	583	2

Amount set apart for the Harijan Buildings.

Q.—413. **Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY** (Malur):—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the amount set apart for the construction of Harijan houses in the State in each district ;

(*b*) whether part of the same has been diverted towards the construction of Depressed Class Hostels ;

(*c*) if so, how much ?

A.—**Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA** (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) The amount set apart this year for the acquisition of lands for forming house sites and for grant of house building subventions to Harijans in each district are as follows :—

Districts.	Rs.
1 Bangalore ...	1,80,600
2 Corporation of the City of Bangalore ...	20,000
3 Kolar ...	1,41,900
4 Tumkur ...	1,29,000
5 Mysore ...	1,29,000
6 Mysore City ...	15,000
	+60,000
7 Mandya ...	58,000
8 Shimoga ...	58,200
9 Chitaldrug ...	1,03,200
10 Davangere City ...	7,000

Districts		Rs.
11 Chickmagalur	...	45,100
12 Hassan	...	77,400
13 Bellary	...	77,600
Reserve	...	64,000
Total Rs.	...	11,06,000

(*b*) No.

(*c*) A separate provision of Rs. 5,34,000 has been made for the construction of hostel buildings as follows:—

		Rs.
1 Sirigere	...	40,400
2 Kolar	...	1,50,000
3 Mysore	...	1,45,000
4 Tumkur	...	1,30,000
5 Nanjangud	...	45,000
Reserve with Government	...	23,600

Principal District Judge's Court, Mysore District (Pendency of cases).

Q.—419. Sri B. NARAYANASWAMY (Mysore City South).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they are aware that the pendency of cases in the Principal District Judge's Court, Mysore Division has increased enormously after the closure of the Additional District Judge's Court from April 1954;

(*b*) whether they will furnish a statement of the disposal of cases for the year 1953 up to the end of April 1954 disposed of by the Principal District Judge and Additional District Judge;

(*c*) whether they will furnish a statement of disposal of cases by the Principal District Judge from April 1954 up-to-date?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

(*a*) An increase in the number of pending cases has been noticed.

(*b*) Please see Statement I below.

(*c*) The particulars for the period from 1st March 1954 up to the end of September 1954 are furnished in the Statement appended hereto. Statement II below.

STATEMENT I.

Statement of disposal of cases for the year 1953 and upto the end of February 1954 by Principal District Judge and Additional District Judge, Mysore.

Sl. No.	Class of Cases	1953			1954 (end of February)		
		Disposed of by Principal District Judge	Disposed of by Additional District Judge	Total	Disposed of by Principal District Judge	Disposed of by Additional District Judge	Total
	CIVIL						
1	Original suits ...	39	17	56	21	4	25
2	Regular appeals ...	114	57	171	10	6	16
3	Miscellaneous appeals ..	42	...	42	12	...	12
4	Execution cases ...	73	...	73	21	...	21
5	Miscellaneous cases ...	117	10	127	20	1	21
6	Insolvency cases ...	2	...	2	1	...	1
7	House Rent Control appeals	86	...	86	3	...	3
	CRIMINAL						
1	Sessions cases ...	38	19	57	7	6	13
2	Criminal appeals ...	76	14	90	13	2	15
3	Revision petitions ...	23	4	27	7	...	7
4	Miscellaneous appeals ...	10	1	11	1	...	1
5	Miscellaneous cases ...	22	11	33	7	...	7